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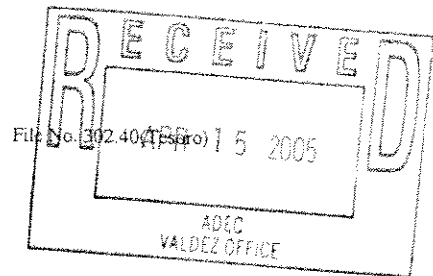
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April 8, 2005

Mr. John Kwietniak
Vessel Plans
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SUBJECT: **Corrected Amendment** to the Tesoro Alaska Company, Cook Inlet vessel Oil Discharge Prevention and Contingency Plan. ADEC Plan Number 041-CP-2039 for the addition of the Capt. H.A. Downing (O.N.1046031)

Dear Mr. Kwietniak:

In accordance with 18 AAC 75.415 Tesoro Alaska Company, has applied for an amendment to the referenced Oil Discharge Prevention and Contingency Plan. The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation has completed the review of your application for amendment and revision dated March 25, 2005, and received on March 29, 2005, to add the vessel M/T Capt H.A. Downing (O.N.1046031) to your currently approved plan.

Plan Name:	Tesoro Alaska Company, Cook Inlet, Oil Discharge Prevention and Contingency Plan number 041-CP-2039, dated March 1, 2004, as amended.
Supporting Documents:	CISPRI Technical Manual dated June 2003
Plan holder:	Tesoro Alaska Company P.O. Box 3369 Kenai, Alaska 99611-3369
Covered Vessels:	Seabulk Pride (D1072068), Seabulk Arctic (D1072069), Capt. H.A. Downing (D1046031).
Region of Operation:	Cook Inlet, Alaska.

Mr. Shawn Brown
Tesoro Alaska Petroleum Company

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April 7, 2005

The Department review of the application packet and associated changes has determined the subject plan amendment does not diminish the ability of Tesoro Alaska Company to respond to an oil spill, satisfies minimum planning standards, and other requirements established under applicable statutes and regulations. Therefore, the Tesoro Alaska Company, Cook Inlet Vessel plan is amended adding the M/T Capt H.A. Downing (D1046031). This amendment is effective **April 10, 2005** with the following specific conditions:

AMENDMENT CONDITIONS:

1. Meet all terms and conditions of the March 1, 2004 Oil Discharge Prevention and Contingency Plan approval ADEC reference # 041-CP-2039 as amended.
2. Tesoro Alaska Company must provide copies of this amendment and routine update to all holders of controlled copies of the Tesoro Alaska Company C-plan prior to April 30, 2005.

Tesoro Alaska Company will assume responsibility under applicable Alaska statutes and regulations for any oil discharge from the M/T Capt H.A. Downing (D1046031) while operating in Alaska waters. This responsibility includes containment and cleanup of any oil spilled from this vessel.

It is the duty of the contingency plan holder to ensure that financial responsibility, required by AS 46.04.040, is met for the period that the vessel is in Alaska waters.

Please be advised that the approval of this amendment does not relieve Tesoro of the obligation for securing other State, Federal or local approvals for permits and compliance with all other applicable laws.

Thank you for coordinating this plan with the Department. If you have any questions regarding this approval please contact Martin Farris at (907) 835-1471 or John Kotula at (907) 835-3730.

Sincerely,



Betty Schorr, Manager
Marine Vessel Section

Attachment: Certificate of Approval 04-CER-1623.1

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